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Jeffrey John Gorman

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For: VIRAL PEPTIDES WITH
STRUCTURAL HOMOLOGY TO
PROTEIN G OF RESPIRATORY
SYNCYTIAL VIRUS

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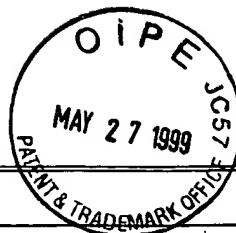
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Docket No. 415852000100

In the application of: Jeffrey John Gorman
 Serial No.: PCT/AU97/00351
 Filed: June 4, 1997
 For: VIRAL PEPTIDES WITH STRUCTURAL HOMOLOGY TO PROTEIN G OF RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS

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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

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residing respectively at

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(hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNOR") has/have invented certain new and useful improvements in

VIRAL PEPTIDES WITH STRUCTURAL HOMOLOGY TO PROTEIN G
OF RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS
for which ASSIGNEE has

[] executed on even date herewith

[] executed on _____, 19_____

[x] filed on 4 June, 1997

an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, Serial No. PCT/AU97/00351.

And WHEREAS

BIOMOLECULAR RESEARCH INSTITUTE LTD.

a company organized under the laws of AUSTRALIA

and having a principal place of business at

343 Royal Parade, Parkville VIC 3052, AUSTRALIA

(hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNEE") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the invention(s) and improvement(s) therein disclosed, for the United States of America, and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all divisions, continuations, reissues, reexaminations, renewals and/or extensions thereof.

NOW THEREFORE in consideration of the sum of ten U.S. dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the ASSIGNEE does hereby assign, sell, transfer and set over unto

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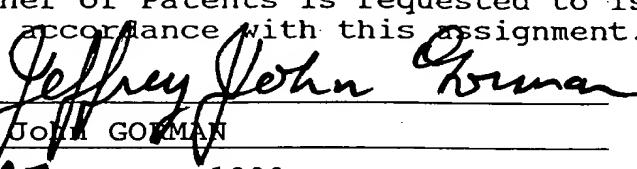
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the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the invention(s) and improvement(s) therein disclosed, for the United States of America, and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all divisions, continuations, reissues, reexaminations, renewals and/or extensions thereof, said ASSIGNEE to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters Patent and any and all divisions, continuations, reissues, reexaminations, renewals and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNOR had this assignment not been made.

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The Commissioner of Patents is requested to issue such Letters Patent in accordance with this assignment.

(1) Signature: X 
Name: Jeffrey John GORMAN

Date: X 27 . 1 . 1999

(2) Signature: _____

Name: _____

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**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(c)) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

I hereby declare that I am:

- the owner of the small business concern identified below
 an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below

NAME OF CONCERN: BIOMOLECULAR RESEARCH INSTITUTE LTD.

ADDRESS OF CONCERN: 343 Royal Parade
PARKVILLE VIC 3052
AUSTRALIA

I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121.3-18, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for purpose of paying reduced fees under section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention entitled:

VIRAL PEPTIDES WITH STRUCTURAL HOMOLOGY TO PROTEIN G OF RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS

by inventor: Jeffrey John GORMAN

described in:

- the specification filed herewith
 application serial no. PCT/AU97/00351, filed 4 June 1997
 patent no. , issued

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below * and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who could not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e). * NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING:

DAMIEN PETER SMITH

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General Manager

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